



- that the Plaintiffs are likely to succeed on the merits in this matter,
- that the balance of interests favors the Plaintiffs, and
- that providing equal protection of the law, and the respecting of constitutional rights, is in the public interest.

Therefore, the elements for entering a preliminary injunction in Plaintiffs' favor have been met.

ACCORDINGLY, the Court hereby issues this order preliminarily enjoining Defendants, their officers, agents, servants, employees, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of the injunction, from enforcing Revised Statutes of Missouri § 571.101.2(1), which denies non-citizens the right to obtain a concealed-carry endorsement, thus denying them the ability to carry a concealed firearm in public for self-defense.

Upon entry of the preliminary injunction, the Defendants shall allow Plaintiffs and other legal resident aliens residing in Missouri to apply for a concealed carry endorsement for the public carrying of concealed firearms for self-defenses, provided they are otherwise-qualified to obtain said concealed carry endorsement.

The Court finds that no security is required as the Defendant will not suffer financial harm by issuance of this order. This injunction shall remain in place pending the conclusion of this litigation.

SO ORDERED.

This the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

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The Hon. Charles A. Shaw  
United States District Judge